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START A SUIT TO TEST LAWS

Eight Hour Telegraph Operators' State Law To
Be Tested In Milwaukee Courts.

M'GOVERN MAKES INITIAL STEPS

Milwaukee's District Attorney Begins Action Which
Chicago, Milwaukee And St. Paul Road Will
Fight To Thoroughly Test The Law.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 12.—District Attorney McGovern of Milwaukee county today began an action against the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road on the charge that they have been violating the eight-hour operators' law by employing one of their operators in Milwaukee at his work longer than eight hours since January first.

Will Fight Case
The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road will fight the case bitterly and it given an adverse decision in the Milwaukee court will carry it to the supreme court to thoroughly test the legality of the measure which was passed by the last legislature.

Will Be Watched
The outcome of this suit will be watched by railroad men all over the state with interest as it is the first official test of the law which has caused many of the roads to change their entire system of handling trains. If guilty, a fine of \$5,000 may be imposed.

The Law
According to the law any persons who handle trains by means of telegraph or telephone shall not work over eight consecutive hours to be followed by a sixteen-hour lay-off. This law has caused many of the roads to abandon many of the smaller telegraph stations and double the force in their main offices.

Use Telephone
They have installed the telephones to do part of the service of dispatching trains in many small stations, where formerly operators have been employed, and these are to be used in case of emergency. On some roads the salaries of the operators have also been cut.

Local Suit
District Attorney McGovern's suit is a local one to Milwaukee county but its effect will be statewide in influence and by it the law will be taken to the supreme court for a final decision as to the constitutionality of the measure.



OPEN SEASON ALL THIS LEAP YEAR.

STATUE DEDICATED TO GREAT FRENCHMAN

Statue of Emile Zola, Great French
Author, Is Dedicated With
Ceremonies.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Paris, Jan. 12.—The statue of Emile Zola recently erected in the Place Dauphine was dedicated today with interesting ceremonies. The date for the dedication was appropriately chosen, this being the tenth anniversary of the day on which Zola's open letter to the president of the republic, entitled "J'accuse," appeared.

The statue was begun by Augustin Rodin and finished by Alexandre Charpentier after the death of Rodin. The pedestal upon which the statue stands bears several handsome bas-reliefs, the principal one representing the scene in the Court of Assises at the time of the sensational Dreyfus hearing.

ELECTRICAL SHOW OPENS IN CHICAGO

Third Annual Electrical Show Opens
in the Coliseum—Many New
Inventions on View.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Chicago, Jan. 12.—When the third annual electrical show opens in the Coliseum tonight many persons will be given their first opportunity to view the latest inventions and developments in electrical science. The exhibition this year is to be much broader in its scope than other of its predecessors. The telephone interests throughout the country have taken an active interest in the affair and there will be on display every type of telephone instrument in practical use in America. Demonstrations will be given of the first wireless telephone outfit ever exhibited west of the Brooklyn navy yard. Wireless telegraphy will also be demonstrated in all its phases. Another novel feature will be a working model of Louis Brennan's mono-rail car, which has been hailed as the forerunner of a revolution in transportation. The exhibition will continue open for two weeks.

STATE RESTS CASE IN THE THAW TRIAL

Assistant District Attorney Garvin
Makes the Opening Address
This Morning.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
New York, Jan. 12.—Assistant District Attorney Garvin made the opening address in the trial of Harry Thaw for the murder of White this morning for the state and characterized the murder as a deliberate, premeditated and cowardly one. Up to recess this noon but two witnesses, who testified for the state at the previous trial, testified and at three-thirteen they rested their case.

QUARTER OF MILLION FIRE IN BIG DEPOT

Union Station Annex at Kansas City
Is Destroyed This Morning
By Fire.

Kansas City, Jan. 12.—The Union Station Annex was destroyed by fire this morning, entailing a loss of a quarter of a million dollars.

LAND FRAUD CASES COME UP THIS WEEK

Celebrated Land Fraud Cases Will
Probably Come Up in the United
States Court This Week.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Portland, Ore., Jan. 12.—After months of delay there now appears every prospect that the celebrated Oregon land fraud cases will be brought to trial in the United States district court here this week. These are the cases in which President Roosevelt has displayed a keen personal interest and in which several government officials have been severely criticized for their alleged failure to bring the cases to trial. Charles J. Henry, a special representative of the department of justice, is here to conduct the government's cases.

BRICKLAYERS MEET IN ANNUAL SESSION

Bricklayers and Stonemasons' International
Union of America
Gathers in Detroit.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Detroit, Mich., Jan. 12.—The forty-first annual convention of the Bricklayers and Stonemasons' International Union of America began in the Light Infantry armory here today. Six hundred delegates were in attendance, representing a membership of over 70,000 throughout the United States and Canada. The convention will remain in session at least three weeks, during which time much important business will be transacted. It is regarded as certain that the convention will order another referendum vote on the question of affiliating with the American Federation of Labor.

LAKE SEAMEN JOIN IN BIG CONVENTION

Lake Seamen's Union, Marine Fire-
men, Marine Cooks and Oilers
Unions Have Joint Confer-
ence in Chicago.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Chicago, Jan. 12.—A joint conference of the Lake Seamen's union, the Marine Firemen, Oilers and Water-tenders' association of the Great Lakes, and the Marine Cooks and Stewards' Union of the Great Lakes began in this city today. The chief purpose of the conference is to draw up a new proposition dealing with the wages and working conditions to be submitted to the organizations of vessel owners in the spring.

POULTRY SHOW NOW ON IN FOREST CITY

Rockford Poultry and Pst Stock Asso-
ciation Open Show Here Today
With Good Entries.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Rockford, Ill., Jan. 12.—The most notable show ever given under the auspices of the Rockford Poultry and Pst Stock association opened today, to continue through the week. A liberal premium list has attracted many high class exhibits from various parts of Illinois and neighboring states.

Deloit Revivals: Rev. J. W. Laughlin, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, is conducting revival services at the West Side Presbyterian church in Deloit.

TENNESSEE UNIONS IN ANNUAL MEETING

Annual Convention of the Tennessee
Federation of Labor Meets
in Jackson.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Jackson, Tenn., Jan. 12.—There was a gratifying attendance today at the annual convention of the Tennessee Federation of Labor. The local labor bodies of Memphis, Knoxville, Chattanooga and other cities of the state were represented. During the several days it will remain in session the federation will discuss plans for extending its membership and influence and also consider proposed laws governing women and child labor and a number of other matters of importance to the workmen.

SPEEDY JUSTICE IN NEW JERSEY COURTS

Man Is Put on Trial for Murder Just
One Month After the Commis-
sion of the Crime.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Newark, N. J., Jan. 12.—In keeping with the reputation of the New Jersey courts for speedy justice, George Wilson, alias Williams, was put on trial today for murder, just one month after his alleged crime. Wilson, who is a negro, was a bell boy at the Park Hotel in Newark. On the night of December 13 he is said to have killed Frederick R. Tomer, a wealthy undertaker, who was found dead in his room in the hotel the following morning with his head crushed in. Wilson was traced to Philadelphia and arrested there. He is said to have made a detailed confession of the crime, stating that he had killed Tomer when the latter had discovered him robbing his room.

TAFT COMMITS THE GOVERNMENT TO IT

Says Uncle Sam Will Withdraw
Troops from Cuba by Spring of
Nineteen-Nine.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Secretary of War Taft today advised the president in an open letter that it would be best to have the Panama canal made a hundred and ten feet wide to start with rather than one hundred as is now planned for in the specifications.

WOULD WIDEN CANAL BY TEN FEET MORE

Taft Wants Panama Canal Made Big
Enough at the Start—So Advice
President.

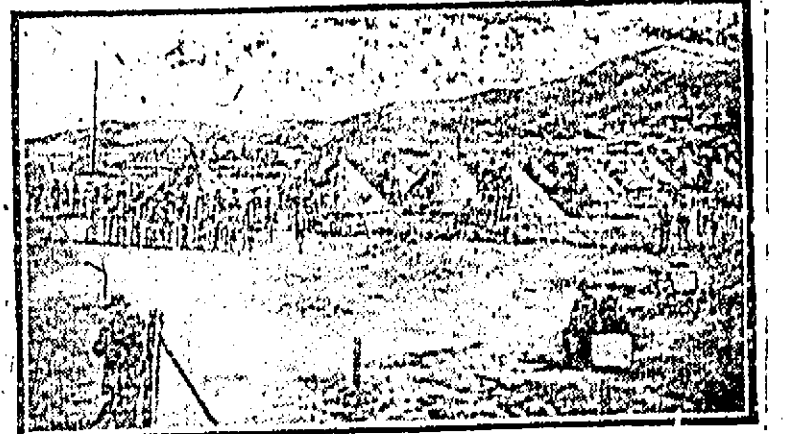
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New Baseball League: There is talk of a new baseball league, the object to include Madison, Deloit, Freeport, Rockford, Elgin, Belvidere and Aurora, in which Janesville may be included.

ORDERS TROOPS BACK TO THEIR CAMP AT PRESIDIO

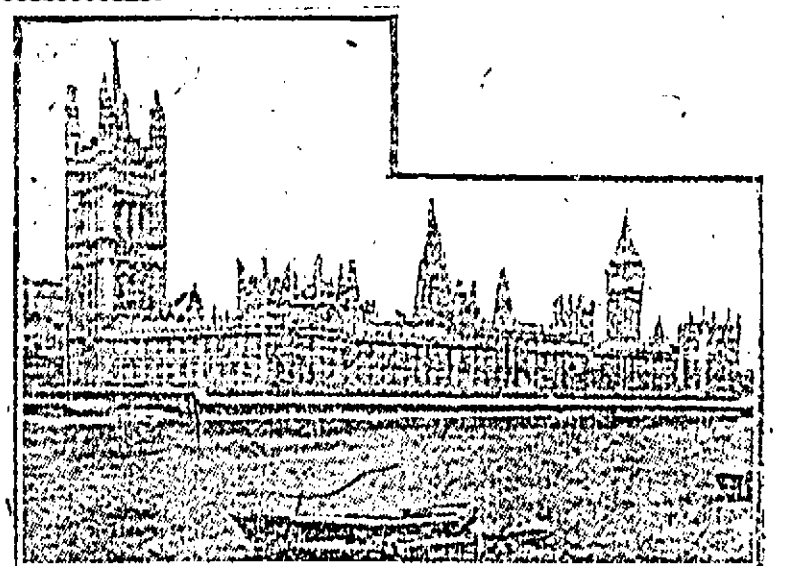
President Roosevelt Will Take Soldiers From
Goldfield At Once.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—President Roosevelt will at once order the United States troops now stationed at Goldfield, Nevada, to be returned to their posts in California, from where Governor Sparks for his line which place they were sent to the Nevada territory in the matter.



SOLDIERS' CAMP AT GOLDFIELD.

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HOUSES OF ENGLISH PARLIAMENT.

London, Eng., Jan. 12.—At a private meeting, the new Westminster Palace, as it is called, is situated on the bank of the Thames and was erected in 1830. The buildings are on the site of the old parliament building, burned down in 1574. They cover an area of eight acres and cost in all about 3,000,000 pounds.



H. E. HOLMES.

a department, will hold its annual meeting at Eau Claire January 14-16, inclusive, and it is believed that other branches of the "Farmers' trust" will financially assist the tobacco men in the fight which has been declared against them.

MARKET REPORT

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Chicago, Jan. 12.—Cattle receipts, 4000; market steady to 10c lower; hogs, \$3.55@4.35; cows and heifers, \$1.30@4.50; western, \$3.70@4.50; calves, \$5.50@8.00.
Hog receipts, 75,000; market 5 to 10c lower; light, \$4.00@4.32½; heavy, \$3.55@4.35; mixed, \$1.10@1.35; pigs, \$3.40@4.35; bulk of sales, \$4.30@5.20.
Sheep receipts, 20,000; market steady; 10c higher; western, \$3.50@5.75; natives, \$3.05@3.55; lambs \$5.50@7.40.
Wheat—July: Opening, 98½¢@7¢; high, 98½¢; low, 98½¢; closing, 98½¢ asked. May—Opening, \$1.05½, ¾, ½; high, \$1.05½@7¢; low, \$1.05; closing, \$1.04½@7¢.
Rye—Closing, \$1.07½.
Barley—Closing, \$7c@1.05.
Corn—May, 60c; July, 58½¢; Sept., 58½¢.
Oats—Closing: May, 51½¢; old, 50½¢; July, 45½¢; old, 46½¢; Sept., 39½¢.
Poultry, live—Steady; chickens, 19½¢; spring, 8c; turkeys, 16c.
Butter—Steady; creamery, 20¢; 24½¢; dairy, 18½¢.
Eggs—Daisy at marked cases included, 22¢@24¢.

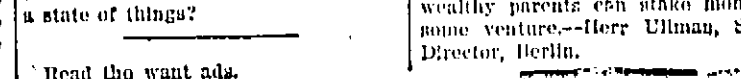
JANESVILLE MARKETS.

Janesville, Jan. 7.
Ear Corn—\$1.15.
Corn Meal—\$20 per ton.
Feed Corn and Oats—\$20 to \$22 per ton.
Standard Middlings—\$28 to \$29 per ton.
Oat Meal—\$1.85 to \$1.95 per cwt.
Oats—48 to 50 cents per bushel.
Hay—\$13 to \$15 per ton.
Straw—Baled, \$5 to \$7 per ton.
Rye—\$26 to \$27 per ton.
Rye—80 cents for 60 lbs.
Barley—70 to 77 cents.
Creamery Butter—30c lb.
Dairy Butter—27 to 28 cents lb.
Eggs—Fresh, 12 to 13¢; cold storage, 18 to 20¢.
Potatoes—45 to 60 cents per bushel.
Elgin Butter Market.
Elgin, Ill., Jan. 6.—Elgin butter market, 29½¢; firm.
Anti-Prohibition Delegates: At the meeting of the Janesville Anti-Prohibition association last week Thomas Abbott and Herman Rogers were named as the delegates to represent the local organization at the meeting of the Wisconsin Anti-Prohibition, of which T. F. McKelvie of this city is vice president, at Milwaukee on Tuesday and Wednesday.
Buy It in Janesville.

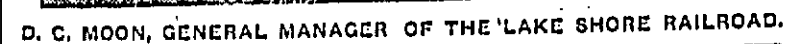
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King Gustav is not only a monarch, but a connoisseur. His greatest delight is among his treasures of art, and he boasts a collection of splendid proportions which rivals anything else of its nature in the possession of continental royalty.

No other disease causes such wide-spread suffering as Rheumatism. It is a nerve racking torture, and so thoroughly does it dominate the system, when it becomes entrenched in the blood, that its victims are usually complete slaves to pain. Rheumatism is due to an excess of uric acid in the blood brought on by stomach troubles, weak kidneys, indigestion and a sluggish condition of the system. The natural refuse of the body, instead of passing off through the ordinary channels of waste, is left to sour and ferment in the system because of these irregularities, forming uric acid which is absorbed into the blood, and Rheumatism gets a foothold. As the blood circulates through the body it deposits the acrid, irritating substances with which it is saturated, into the different muscles, nerves, tissues and bones. Sharp, biting pains commence, the flesh becomes feverish, swollen and tender, the muscles and joints throb and jerk, and the body is literally racked with pain. Plasters, blisters, liniments, etc., can never

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for young men possessing ambition

and energy, are very flattering.

The development of this old country,

which for 400 years was dormant

under Spanish rule and oppression, is

progressing rapidly. Railroads are

being built and industries established,

while for the first time in history this

Soil is intelligently cultivated.

There is a future for the Philippine

Islands, for the United States will

continue to act as a protectorate for

many years to come.

CITY SNOW PLOWS

In the outlying districts of Chicago,

where a blizzard was at its height,

three or four weeks ago, snow plows,

hauled by a team and two men, were

busily engaged in keeping the walks

clear.

This work was done at the expense

of the city, and after every severe

storm, hundreds of outfits are em-

ployed in the work, and before the

snow has time to pick the walks are

clear.

The question is often asked, "Why

don't Janesville do the same thing?"

and an answering echo, is the only re-

sponse. The city ordinance which

provides that property-owners shall

clear their own walks, is but partially

observed at best, for it is an unrea-

sonable ordinance, impossible of rigid

enforcement.

There are miles of walks, in front

of vacant property, that are never

cleared, to say nothing of block after

block in residential districts where space

made efforts are made, while the only

apparent result is a skating rink in

front of the property all winter.

Half a dozen snow plows might cost

the city \$25. The same number of

teams, hired perhaps half a dozen

times during the winter, might cost

\$75 more. This would mean \$100 in-

creased for the comfort and conven-

ience of all the people, and the tax-

payer who would kick at such an ar-

rangement, would be difficult to find.

The Gazette expresses public senti-

ment in saying that the council will

make no mistake in providing for

this much-needed improvement.

The monetary situation in Wall

street is improving every day, and

normal conditions, in many respects,

prevail. It is estimated that \$270,000,

and was withdrawn from circulation

during the panic. This money is

gradually coming back, as confidence

is restored. Railroads are slow to re-

cover, as more than half their freight

equipment is idle for lack of busi-

ness.

According to the Chicago Tribune's

test presidential ballot, where 4,518

votes were received from republican

congressmen, legislators and editors,

scattered over every state in the Union,

Taft is first choice of 60 per cent,

and second and third choice of 40

per cent. This straw vote is signifi-

cant.

SHOPIERE

Shoppers, Jan. 12.—Lee Raymond

has been on the sick list for a week

or two.

Miss Munkle and Mr. Baker of Clin-

ton spent a day with Miss Etta Case

recently and tried the skating on the

pond.

Mrs. R. H. Manley is improving in

health and hopes soon to be able to

return to her home in Heloit.

A CARD OF THANKS FROM SISTERS OF MERCY

The Sisters of Mercy wish to ex-

press their most grateful thanks to all

their friends who have so generously

added them during the past year.

During the holiday season they

have received donations of food and

other goods suitable to the needs of the

poor. We wish to make special men-

tion of checks received from: The

Catholic Knights, \$25; Mr. W. S. Jeff-

ers, \$10; R. M. Dostel, \$5; balance

of collection from Hospital Sunday re-

ceived after the other was sent in.

The hospital has undergone many

repairs and improvements since April,

when the Sisters took possession. Me-

chanics have been constantly employ-

ed on the hospital work. As all know

how expensive labor and materials

now are, it is needless to state that

the hospital is heavily in debt to the

contractors who did the work. The

greatest present need is a steam heat-

ing system, as the hospital is neces-

sarily very warm. We know that our

good friends who aided us thus far

will continue, now that the good work

has been started, we feel certain that

we will not be left to carry the bur-

den unaided.

The Sisters have cared for many

charity patients and will do all they

can in this line, but the hospital is

too small to do as much as we would

wish; but there is plenty of space for

it to grow and extend the good work.

The generosity of the Janesville

people combined with the life-long la-

bors of the Sisters gratefully given

cannot fail of being crowned with

success.

The following named persons re-

membered the Sisters with holiday

gifts of poultry, fruit and other good

things: Rev. Don McElhinney, Mr.

Murphy, Foxville, Mrs. Campbell,

Miss Finley, Mrs. Flaherty, Eustace

Brennan, Miss Mary Rindan, Mrs.

James Kelley, Miss Hannah Welch,

Miss Minnie Steed, Mrs. Downs, Mrs.

Schroeder, Chicago, Mr. Tobin.

The doctors who attend the hospital

also remembered the Sisters and

nurses with many useful and accept-

able gifts. Former patients also

proved kindly appreciation of the care

and attention bestowed upon them

while at the hospital. To one and all

most grateful thanks and best wishes

for 1908.

SISTERS OF MERCY.

EAGLES' BANQUET

AT ASSEMBLY HALL

Plates Have Been Laid for 500 and

Several Hundred More Are Ex-

pected to Be Present—Begins

at 8:30.

Assembly hall, where the big an-

nual banquet in which members of

Janesville Aerie No. 721, Fraternal Or-

der of Eagles, and their ladies are to

participate, to be given tonight, was

a scene of activity this afternoon. Joe

Leightner, Simon Dorn, J. J. Con-

radine, Herman Buzas, and Fred

Smith of the arrangements committee

and volunteer helpers were busily en-

gaged in arranging great double rows

of tables from central points in the

hall to the ends of each of the six

long tables which run the whole

length of the hall and the additional

short banquet board just in the shad-

ow of the bandstand. Myriads of

electric banquet lamps had been

placed in position. Palm, red, white

OBITUARY.

Margaret Shea.

After a ten days' illness at the

home of Mrs. McGovern, 154 Cherry

street, Miss Margaret Shea passed

away Sunday afternoon at one o'clock.

Miss Margaret Shea and her sister,

Winifred Shea came here from Wata-

gan, Ill., during the holidays to visit

the family of P. Ryan in the town of

Magnolia. On the third of January

she came to Janesville to visit Mr.

Ryan's sister, Mrs. McGovern, and

expected to return the next day but

was taken ill that night. The doctors

were puzzled about her illness, and

were unable to decide what it was.

Miss Shea, who was twenty-three

at the time of her death, leaves a

father and mother, Mr. and Mrs.

Michael Shea of Watagan, Ill., three

sisters, Mary, Winifred and Helen,

and three brothers, Thomas, William

and Frank, all of Watagan, to mourn

her loss.

The remains were shipped to her

home over the St. Paul road this

morning.

Her sudden death was a severe

shock to her friends and to her fam-

ily.

Mrs. Sutton Norris.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sutton

Norris was held this afternoon at two

o'clock from R. J. Smith's residence,

No. 1 Milton Ave. The funeral ser-

vice was delivered by the Rev. R. C.

Dunbar after which the remains were

taken to the Oak Hill cemetery and

tenderly laid to rest. The floral

tributes were especially beautiful. The

pallbearers were J. T. Wright, George

Butts, David Watt and George Davis.

Infant Child.

The remains of the two months' old

son of Mr. and Mrs. Cortigan of Mad-

ison were held to rest in the Mt. Olive

cemetery this morning at ten o'clock

this morning. The body was brought

to Janesville on the evening train

Sunday afternoon. The funeral ser-

vices were held at the home of the

parents in Madison. No funeral ser-

vices were held here.

Jacob Fredendall.

Jacob Fredendall, who for many

years made his home at No. 2 Racine

street, this city, died on Jan. 7 at

Stebbinsville at the age of ninety-six.

Deceased was born in Schenectady

county, New York, Aug. 29, 1811, and

lived there during his youth and early

manhood. He was married on Dec. 31,

1831, to Catherine Forest, who passed

away April 11, 1885. In 1862 he came

to Wisconsin and settled on a farm

near Indian Park, moving from there

some years thereafter to the city of

Of Course They Said So.

"How did you happen to come to me for your dentistry?" said Dr. Richards to a patient recently.

"Why, you see I'm a stranger here," said the party, "and I inquired of several people as to what dentist to go to and they all said 'Dr. Richards.' If I wanted 'Pahlessa' work."

"Of course, I didn't want to be hurt and so I came up to you."

"Well, are you sorry you came?"

"Not a bit. You never hurt me in the least."

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Calendars For the Trade.
The printing department of the Gazette does an extensive business each year in calendars and will have a splendid line of samples for the inspection of those business people who use calendars, within a few weeks. It will pay you to await the arrival of a representative with these samples.

MAN ARRESTED HERE AGAIN IN CUSTODY

John Smith of Chicago Now Charged with Being a Burglar—Taken from Northwestern Train Here.

On December 2 John Smith and a man who gave his name as Edward Stoppel were taken from a through Northwestern train, bound for the Pacific coast, by the police of the Chicago police. They were held here until this past afternoon, when an officer came from Chicago and took them back. According to the Chicago papers Smith is again in custody and was arrested this time on the charge of burglary. The report published is as follows, showing clearly the Chicago police believe Smith guilty of the charges brought:

"Suspected of being the 'dwarf burglar,' who has committed many burglaries on the South Side recently, Ernest Hoffman, 25 years old, was arrested in a rooming-house at 2100 Wabash avenue last evening by Detective Sergeant Connel and Culhane of the Central station. John Smith, 28 years old, was in Hoffman's room when the detectives forced their way into it, and the men were taken to the room where the police found \$200 worth of jewelry, clothing, silverware and bric-a-brac said to have been stolen from many South Side flats and residences. They also found two revolvers and a 'Jimmy.' After the alleged stolen property had been taken to the Central station Detective Sergeant Connel and Culhane identified different articles as having been stolen from the following places:

"Home of William Naukey, 154 Twenty-fifth street, entrance gained the afternoon of Dec. 31 by prying open a front door with a 'Jimmy'; clothing, jewelry, and silverware valued at \$250 taken from Naukey and Charles Talbot, a roomer.

"Home of George Hall, 5146 Forestville avenue, entrance gained the afternoon of Jan. 7 by prying open front door; clothing and jewelry valued at \$100 taken.

"Home of Emil Lesser, 4150 Calumet avenue, entrance gained the afternoon of Jan. 6 by prying open front door; clothing valued at \$75 taken.

"The afternoon of Dec. 31 neighbors saw a small man, who appeared to be a dwarf, leaving the Naukey home. The Cottage Grove avenue police were given a description of him which tallies with that of Hoffman. Hoffman admitted that he had been released from the jail recently and the police say Smith was arrested in Janesville, Wis., about a month ago while with the son of a South Side tailor, who was arrested for robbing his father's store in Twenty-second street."

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Country Club Meeting: The regular annual meeting of the Janesville Country Club will be held at the Municipal Court Room, City Hall, on Tuesday evening of this week. On account of other things interfering it has been arranged that the meeting will be adjourned to Wednesday, Jan. 15th, at 7:30 o'clock at the same place. All stockholders are urged to be present.

Committee Meeting: At seven-thirty this evening there will be a joint meeting of the committee appointed at the last meeting of the Golf Club and the directors of the Country Club. The meeting will take place in the W. G. Wheeler's office with the purpose of discussing the relationship between the two clubs and talk over any proposed changes in such relationship.

F. & A. M.: Regular communication of Janesville Lodge No. 55, F. & A. M., at Masonic Temple 7:30 to 9 o'clock, installation of officers.

John Kelly III: John Kelly, the famous horseman, who is the guest of his brother-in-law, Edward Spaulding, is reported quite ill. Mr. Kelly recently was owner of a large training stable in New York and formerly held the reins over some of the fastest wheel horses in the country.

Wait Zero Weather: The City Ice Company are waiting for a week of zero weather before beginning their season's cut of frozen fluid. They will expend between twelve and fifteen hundred dollars in wages when the work begins.

Committee No. 9: Committee No. 9 of the county board which has to do with the accounts of receiving and disbursing officers, is in session at the courthouse today.

In Justice Court: In Judge Tallman's court this afternoon a jury is being drawn to try the action of Benjamin Bleasdale vs. William and George Campbell. The case is concerned with a well dug by the plaintiffs which is alleged by the defendants not to have given satisfaction.

Golf Club Dance: The Shinnelup Golf club's next dancing party will be given at Central hall tomorrow evening. It will be an informal affair and the Roy Carter orchestra will play.

Return From Trip: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Winsor returned last evening from their wedding trip in the south. They took an extensive trip through Florida, visiting St. Augustine and other points of interest. Mr. and Mrs. Winsor will now make their home in the Woods flats.

To Give Dinner: Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy will entertain a number of young men at dinner on Thursday evening at her home at 158 Park Place in honor of the birthday of her son Allen.

Taken to Mendota: George Hyma, a middle-aged man residing in Janesville whose mind recently became unbalanced, was this morning taken to the state asylum at Mendota by Sheriff J. U. Fisher.

Worse Today: Mrs. George Hill, of No. 9 Linden Ave., who fell and injured her hip last week, is reported to be worse today.

Sale Day Jan. 15. The next combination sale day at the East Side Hitch Barn takes place Thursday, Jan. 15th. Mark the date and be present. M. E. Hilton, Prop.

FRED FRYAR'S WIFE MAY SEEK DIVORCE

Allegations Made That He Attempted to Poison Her—Married Him in 1888 Before He Became Blind.

According to Mrs. Kate B. Kennedy, who owns the little cottage near the institution where Fred Fryar, blind man, and his wife have lived for some time past, the statement made in the Gazette's account of the man's removal to the lock-up Thursday evening that his wife married him two years ago, was incorrect and unjust by reason of the possible inferences that may be drawn therefrom. As a matter of fact they were wedded in Milwaukee Dec. 23, 1888, before Fryar lost his eyesight. The husband became blind on May 8, 1889, from the effects of an attack of scarlet fever. For four years before her marriage Mrs. Fryar was employed at the Plankinton house and for five years after her husband lost his eyesight, after her husband lost his eyesight, she worked there and contributed to his support, supposing him to be at the blind institute in Janesville during that period.

Thursday evening Fryar sent for Mrs. Kennedy, conveying by his message the impression that his wife would be dead of poison by the time his benefactress arrived on the scene. She sent for Dr. Naukey and also summoned the police. The physician, upon his arrival, found Mrs. Fryar vomiting violently and stated there was nothing about her previous condition which would warrant belief an attack, he was disposed to believe that Fryar had done as he threatened and some irritant such as tobacco or soap-dust, if not an actual poison, had been placed in her food.

The woman was not ill with pneumonia, as was stated on the day following the incident. Mrs. Kennedy expects to see that she is cared for and will try to persuade her to secure a divorce from her wretched inmate of a husband.

BROKE HIS SHOULDER IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT

J. B. Francis Injured on Saturday Near Elkhorn by Breaking of Auto Spring.

J. B. Francis suffered a fracture of the shoulderblade on Saturday last while riding in his automobile ten miles from Elkhorn through the slewing of the auto on a glare of ice and the breaking of the rear spring. Mr. Francis and George Clark were in the rear seat of the machine and the spring broke on Mr. Francis' side, throwing Clark against him in such a manner his shoulder was broken. The automobile was the property of "Hank" Stevenson and James Ellis was sitting on the seat with the driver. Had Stevenson not had his machine under control a serious accident might have resulted. Mr. Francis was brought to Janesville.

CHICAGO WAS CENTER OF SUNDAY'S STORM

Illinois City Felt Brunt of Storm—Telegraph Wires Still Down to South.

Sunday's storm appears to have been more furious and destructive in the immediate vicinity of Chicago than elsewhere. Up to three this afternoon with the exception of the Wisconsin Telephone Co.'s wire to Chicago no communication was to be had.

The Postal Telegraph Company had a wire to Rockford broken and the Western Union was in a similar fix, although its wires to Milwaukee were all right. The Wisconsin Telephone company had trouble until noon when the Chicago wire came in and the Rock County Telephone company reports no trouble at all.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Delicious Beef Tea. Alie Razook, Council Chamber cigars are the best. Use Taylor's Solvay coke.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Janesville Chamber of Commerce Association in the city hall Wednesday evening at seven-thirty. W. A. Goebel, Pres.

Invitations will soon be issued for a dancing party to be given at Assembly hall February 3 by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haddock and Mr. and Mrs. David Holmes.

The Social Club Auxiliary of the Congregational church will meet to sew on Thursday afternoon.

Car North potatoes on track today and tomorrow. Will sell in two or three sack lots at 50c per bushel, delivered. Also car Duluth Universal flour at \$5.85 per barrel, delivered. Grubb Produce Co.

SHOPIERE.

Shoppers, Wis., Jan. 13.—A meeting was held at Haggart's store Jan. 10, 1908, for the purpose of organizing for the Farmers' Institute to be held at Shopiere March 3rd and 4th, 1908. Upon motion W. W. Vohmeyer was chosen to act as chairman and E. L. Gehling as secretary of the meeting. The following officers and committees were chosen: J. T. Atkinson, permanent chairman; E. L. Gehling, permanent secretary; literary committee, C. Meddison, chairman, L. M. Ashton, W. W. Schlegel, W. W. Welch, and R. K. Overton, chairman on music; refreshment committee, M. J. Truesdell, E. P. Bostwick. The chairman of the several committees to act as executive and advertising committees. The next meeting will be held at Haggart's store Jan. 16, 1908, at 7:30 p. m. All farmers interested are requested to be present.

GOES TO MISSOURI TO MANAGE A BIG BRICK COMPANY

Edward Fresno, of the Janesville Red Brick Co. leaves tomorrow morning for Columbia, Mo., where he has accepted a position with the Edwards Brick Co. as superintendent. Mr. Fresno, with his father and brothers, operates the Janesville plant as well as one at Monroe, Wis., and has been in the brick manufacturing business all his life.

Mrs. F. P. Stevens will entertain the members of the Ladies' white and eucure club next Thursday at 5:30 in honor of her sister, Mrs. Burley of Rockford.

PERSONAL MENTION.

12, R. Nash of Deloit was in Janesville Saturday.

James Sheridan, who has been in Madison, has returned home.

James G. Monaghan was in Janesville over Sunday.

R. O. Palk spent Sunday in Stoughton visiting his parents.

Dr. Ralph Wheeler of Chicago is visiting his brother, W. G. Wheeler. Mrs. Walter King and daughter left last evening for their home in Milwaukee.

Carl Thompson of Arrowsmith, Ill., has entered the telegraph school here. Miss Nellie Smiley entertained a number of friends with cards at her home on East street Saturday evening.

Frank Nicholson leaves today for a trip through the west.

William Stevens was called to the northern part of the state last week by the serious illness of his father.

C. Miner and W. H. Conn of Woodstock, Ill., were here Saturday evening to attend the Masonic meeting.

J. B. Smith is building on his Forest Park lot and expects to open a grocery store there in the near future.

M. Ross and C. W. Vohmeyer, buyers from New York, who have been here for some time, left for Chicago, Friday.

Thomas Keating, who formerly lived here, is in the city for a short visit.

The Commercial Club gave an enjoyable dance at the East Side Odd Fellows' hall Saturday night. The Knorr & Hatch orchestra furnished the inspiration.

The Harvard Masons who attended the degree here Saturday evening were A. B. Higgins, C. F. Vandervoyt, E. R. Thompson, R. J. McLean, E. P. Marshall, W. H. Ward, A. W. Cook and J. H. Crawford.

Mr. Bull of Cookville, Minn., is visiting local friends.

J. B. Humphrey returned Saturday from a business trip to Minneapolis.

W. W. Freshwater, manager of Mrs. P. A. Bennett's marble and granite works, left this morning for Harro, Va., to purchase several carloads of monuments.

Mr. St. Kent has returned from a trip in the south and Mrs. Kent has returned from a visit in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Parker entertained twenty at dinner this evening at their home on Court Street.

G. S. Carrington and Miss Louise Towne of Chicago, L. L. Dodge and Mrs. A. A. Dodge of Minneapolis, P. Carrington of Waupaca, and J. W. Jerome and Miss Louise Hinkley of Green Bay, were here today to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Sutton Norrie.

Col. W. B. Britton, who is in a very critical condition with paralysis at his home on Washington street is reported by Dr. T. W. Naukey to be a little better today. The condition of Mrs. Britton, who is ill with pneumonia, has improved considerably.

The Misses Roxana Gilbert and Elsie Hinde of Whitewater were Janesville visitors yesterday.

E. A. Harrison of Brookfield was in the city Saturday night.

Miss Lena Stober of this city is visiting friends at Hanover.

Curly Yagle of Deloit spent Sunday with Janesville friends.

Miss Joseph Burke is visiting with Chicago friends for a few days.

MUSICIANS' UNION TO GIVE ANNUAL SMOKER

Mayor Heddles and the Aldermen Have Been Invited to Participate in Festivities Tomorrow.

Janesville Branch of the A. F. of M., composed largely of the members of the Imperial lodge, will give its annual spread and smoker at the hotel tomorrow evening. Mayor Stearns, Heddles and the aldermen have been invited to participate.

Attention, K. of P. Regular meeting of Oriental Lodge No. 27, K. of P., Monday evening, at which time the installation of officers will take place to be followed by a supper and smoker.

T. E. WELCH, C. C.

Beauty's Age. How to lengthen life and beautify the body is a constantly growing preoccupation. The age at which women will attain to the full development of their personal beauty will soon be 40, and famous examples, such as those of Cleopatra, who was over 30 when Marc Anthony placed his victories at her feet, of Diana de Poitiers, who reached the apex of her charms at 40, or of Delzard, who at 70 was still full of juvenile grace, will no longer be regarded as exceptions.

Sickness Caused Repentance. A somewhat amusing tale of an interrupted double elopement is reported from Turin, Italy. Two daughters of a Turin merchant who eloped with two young men and some of their father's money, have been moved to repentance by amnesia. They took ship at Marseilles, but were so terribly ill that they implored the captain to put them ashore at the first port of call. They then took the nearest route home.

Read the want ads.

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Need not be large in order to receive our careful attention. People not engaged in regular business will find a checking account with us a convenience and a safeguard in financial matters.

This bank pays 3 per cent interest in the Savings Department and also 3 per cent on Certificates of Deposit.

The accounts of ladies cordially invited.

BOWER CITY BANK

FOUR HOURS' TIE-UP ON THE INTERURBAN

Caused by Breakdown at Deloit Powerhouse About Eight o'Clock Last Evening.

There was a tie-up of over four hours' duration on the R. B. & J. Interurban the last evening as the result of a breakdown in some of the machinery at the Deloit powerhouse. The 8:15 southbound car did not leave here until 12:30 and the northbound car was stalled on the siding halfway between Janesville and Deloit during the same interval and did not reach here until one o'clock this morning. The breakdown at Deloit was not repaired until much later, but at half-past twelve o'clock the Janesville Electric Co. put a jumper on the wires and furnished 550 volts to send the car hump up here to Deloit and bring the other one in from the siding.

NOTICE.

A reward of \$2.00 is offered for the return of a goat disappearing from 61 Washington street. The goat was small, cinnamon colored, dark streak on back, one white front leg. Old phone 5511. Glen Heyland.

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GOLD MEDAL OUR \$1.55. PILLSBURY'S BEST XXXX FLOUR \$1.55.

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SPECIAL—200 SACKS NEED. NIT FLOUR, to introduce one of best flours made, \$1.50. ALBANY BUCKWHEAT AND GRAHAM.

BLODGETT'S OR DOTY'S BUCKWHEAT 35c.

3 PKGS. MONSOON POPPING CORN, 25c.

WALTER BAKER'S CHOCOLATE 40c LB.

3 OLD DUTCH CLEANSER 25c.

3 LEWIS LYE 25c.

BON AMI, SAPOLIO, SALOME, 7 SANTA CLAUS OR LENOX SOAP 25c.

6 OLD COUNTRY OR BEACH'S FAVORITE 25c.

NEW 4 CROWN TURKISH FIGS 15c.

2 CANS IMPORTED OIL SAR. DINES 25c.

BEECH NUT JAMS, BACON, PEANUT BUTTER.

DRIED RASPBERRIES, WHITE MALAGA GRAPES 15c LB.

6 GREAT NORTHERN TOILET PAPER 25c.

LARGE HOUSEHOLD AMMO. NIA 10c.

20 MULE TEAM BORAX, AND BORAX.

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT 10c.

BLODGETT'S SELF-RISING BUCKWHEAT 10c.

25 OZ. K. C. BAKING POWDER 25c.

2-LB. PKG. RICHELIEU SEED. ED RAISINS 25c.

2 CANS PARIS SWEET CORN 25c.

HOME GROWN BREAD, COOKIES AND DOUGHNUTS.

LOG CABIN SYRUP AT CUT PRICES.

LARGE FANCY NAVAL ORANGES 25c & 30c DOZ.

TABLE POTATOES 70c BU. BEST 50c TEA ON EARTH.

BEST 25c COFFEE ON EARTH. CRYSTAL DOMINO SUGAR. SOLID MEAT.

SELECT OYSTERS, 50c QT. CANE SUGAR ONLY. FRANK'S CELEBRATED WIENERS.

3 JELLO, ANY FLAVOR, 25c. WAFER SLICING MACHINE FOR COLD MEATS.

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RUTABAGAS, CARROTS, CABBAGES.

PRESTO FOR QUICK GEMS. PIE PACKS 8c.

MANOR HOUSE COFFEE 38c. 3-LB. CAN. RICHELIEU COFFEE, \$1.00.

EGG BAKING POWDER. FRUEN'S WHEAT WAFERS 12c.

GROCERIES AND MEATS.

NASH

Our Chicago correspondent has notified us today that the currency situation in Chicago is normal. The situation in Chicago being the immediate cause of the bankers' predicament in Janesville we are now pleased to inform the public that the cashier's checks, certificates, etc., of this bank will be paid in cash on presentation.

We desire also to express to the public our appreciation of the many courtesies and evidences of confidence which they have shown us in the past two months.

ROCK COUNTY NATIONAL BANK

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TRY A DON OVANDO 10c CIGAR

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A fresh arrival of Fancy sugar cured Hams, 12½c lb.

Good Cooking Apples, peck 30c

Dwarf Celery, per bunch 15c

Fine Cranberries, 10c qt., 3 for 25c

1 gallon can of N. Y. Apples 30c

Home-made Fruit Cake, something swell, at, per lb. 50c

Home-made Cake, Cookies, Doughnuts and Bread.

Our increased sales in Tea and Coffee are a proof of quality.

Fine Parsnips, peck 20c

Fine Carrots, peck 20c

Fine Yellow Rutabagas, peck 20c

Red and Yellow Onions, peck 25c

Holland Cabbage from 5c to 8c head.

SOCIALISTS MAKE MONSTER DISPLAY

MANY THOUSANDS IN BERLIN IN BIG MASS MEETINGS.
WOMEN THE MOST ACTIVE

Police Frequently Charge the Demonstrators in Streets, Injuring Many and Breaking Up Processions.

Berlin, Jan. 12.—The determination of the socialists to secure direct universal suffrage, combined with their indignation against Chancellor von Bismarck's curt declaration refusing their demand, gave rise Sunday to an unusual scene and a monster popular demonstration, accompanied by disorders in the streets of the Prussian capital in which 40,000 socialists participated, with 30,000 sympathizers, from time to time actively joining in the manifestations.

One of the most remarkable features of the uprising was the number of women who engaged in the demonstrations and they appeared even more earnest in their activities than the men.

Police and Crowds Collide.

The authorities took the sternest measures to prevent disorders and the strictest precautions to protect the assembly and other public buildings and Prince von Bismarck's residence against the outbreak of fury. Groups in the streets were dispersed in the most vigorous manner and collisions between processions of manifestants and the police resulted in the injury of a considerable number of the demonstrators, but so far no known fatality occurred in this city. The police refrained from making arrests except in cases of extreme violence.

The movement extends throughout Prussia, where the socialists are exceptionally numerous. Reports received from other cities, however, do not indicate that the demonstrations there were accompanied by violence.

Enthusiasm at Meetings.

The socialists showed great determination in their attempts to hold processions, although the police made energetic endeavors to prevent this. Long before the hour of noon, the time fixed to begin the meetings, all the halls were packed and the police drew up in force around the doors to hold the crowds in check. Those who could not get within the buildings were driven into adjoining streets by squads of police. Inside the halls the greatest enthusiasm prevailed, the excitement increasing as the speakers denounced the action of the chancellor, whose name was received with loud hooting and hissing. The speakers did not advise violence, but declared that if violence occurred the responsibility would fall upon the police and the privileged classes, who refused the people their rights.

Two formidable columns afterward marched as far as Alexander Platz, within a short distance of the emperor's palace, where the police charged them, inflicting many injuries. Eventually they succeeded with the greatest difficulty in scattering the demonstrators, who retired, hooting and cheering ironically, toward Unter den Linden. Thousands of spectators already had gathered there from curiosity and the police followed the broken ranks of the paraders, clearing the entire thoroughfare.

Several Serious Conflicts.

Later some thousands of the demonstrators gathered a short distance from Chancellor von Bismarck's residence and began shouting down the chancellor, who had driven through into Friedrichstrasse. Their attitude became so threatening that both the mounted and foot police charged them fiercely, striking right and left with the flat of their sabers. Scores of the manifestants were knocked down and trampled upon and the great crowd at length was broken up into small groups, among whom there were many injured.

Another serious collision occurred at Jungfermann bridge, where many suffered severe contusions.

JAPANESE GROWING UNCASY.

Don't Like American Sentiment in Favor of Exclusion Act.

Tokyo, Jan. 12.—Incoming cablegrams indicating an overwhelming sentiment in America in favor of an exclusion act are causing much uneasiness of leaders of all shades of politics, who have repeatedly expressed the conviction that the Americans did not desire to discriminate against the Japanese and would accept the attitude of the Japanese government as evidence of its sincere desire not to embarrass the American government and at the same time to save the honor proper of the Japanese.

New York Factories Burned.

New York, Jan. 12.—A block of five-story tenement buildings extending from Ninety-third to Ninety-fourth streets on First avenue and which had been remodeled for factory purposes and were occupied by a half dozen enterprises, was burned early Sunday, causing a loss of about \$500,000. Adam Hoffel Iron work, Ebelman Iron works, Hallen & Duescher, machinists; Grossman Shoe Manufacturing company, Pearl Button company and the American Rug company suffered most.

Harmless Amusement.

Many persons with refined minds are apt to depreciate happiness, especially if it is of "a low type." Ironically

speaking, it is the one thing which having, and low or high, if it does no mischief, is better than the most spiritual misery.—Mark Rutherford.

NATIONAL GUARD MEETING

TENTH ANNUAL SESSION OF ASSOCIATION.

Closer Union of Amateur and Professional Soldiers of the Country to Be Planned.

Boston, Jan. 12.—At a congress of militia officials and men representing a national organized volunteer force of more than 100,000 members, and an unorganized constituency of 11,000,000 available men, to be held in this city during the next three days, efforts will be made to accomplish a closer union of the amateur and professional soldiers of the country. Officers representing the war department will also be present.

The occasion of the gathering is the tenth annual meeting of the National Guard Association of the United States. The convention will be held in Old Faneuil hall.

Gen. Charles S. Dick, author of the bill bearing his name, under which the National Guard has been reorganized, and president of the association, will preside.

The five years period within which the provisions of the bill were to operate has elapsed, and so active is the demand for new legislation that many delegates have come to the convention with formal suggestions advocating important changes in the national laws. Among such proposed changes one by Gen. Charles Dray of New York will probably be the first to which the convention will give consideration. He will suggest that the National Guard, at the outbreak of war, be passed from state to federal control, except as to the commander-in-chief, and that it be part of the first line with the regular army, ready for immediate service in war whenever the president might wish to use it and for as long as the existing enlistments of the men should endure.

Legislation along these lines, he believes, would prove a satisfactory solution of the problem of a military policy for the United States. Gen. Dray will further say:

"The adoption of such a system would not only give the United States an addition to its first line of defense of a trained army of 150,000 men, but it would insure in the states a force for internal use adequate for every emergency. This would be peace strength. War strength would reach 250,000. The country is full of men who would like to learn to do their duty as volunteer soldiers in time of war and go out as such when war comes, but who have no desire for permanent military service."

The war department at Washington considers the convention as one of unusual importance, and its delegation will include Robert Oliver Shaw, assistant secretary of the department; Brig. Gen. George B. Davis and W. W. Witherspoon and Col. Ernest M. Weaver of the general staff.

THAW TRIAL REALLY BEGINS.

State's Opening and Testimony Monday—One New Witness.

New York, Jan. 12.—The second trial of Harry K. Thaw for the killing of Stanford White begins in earnest Monday when the state will present its case to the jury, which is charged with determining the responsibility of the defendant under the law. With a straight plea of insanity entered from the very beginning, the issue this year will be one of responsibility or irresponsibility, with the words "guilty" or "innocence" of the accused seldom heard.

Assistant District Attorney Francis P. Garvin will outline the state's case in a ten-minute speech. The state's witnesses were heard in less than two hours at the first trial, but it is said that this year the direct case will be longer, including as it does the rather important testimony of James Clinch Smith, a brother-in-law of Stanford White, who talked with Thaw a few minutes before the shooting. If the state's case should extend well into the afternoon session, the defense will not be required to open until Tuesday morning.

Martin W. Littleton will make the opening address for Thaw and it is said there will be no hint of justification in his talk, but just a recital from first to last of events which, it will be called, point to the fact that Thaw was insane at the time of his fatal shooting with White. To build up a case of legal insanity at the time of the act and leave an express to a claim of present soundness of mind, will be a delicate task, and Mr. Littleton's handling of it will be watched with great interest.

Accidentally Shot by His Wife.

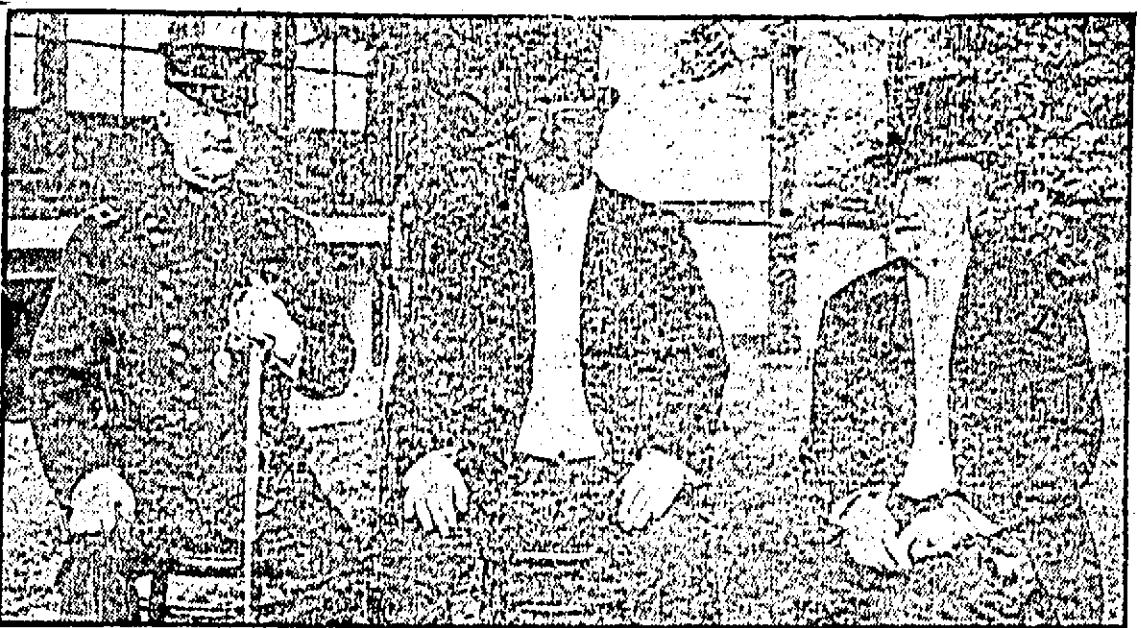
Savannah, Ga., Jan. 12.—General Freight Agent W. E. Estes of the Central of Georgia railway was perhaps fatally shot by his wife at an early hour Sunday morning. The shooting was accidental. Mr. Estes had just arrived home. His wife said she had heard a noise that made her think there was a burglar in the house and asked him to take a pistol she had placed on the table by her bed. She was handling him the weapon when it was discharged.

Ice Yacht Kills Chicago Boy.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 12.—Frank Purdy of Chicago, a freshman in the College of Agriculture of the Wisconsin university, was run down by an ice yacht while skating on Lake Mendota Saturday afternoon and so badly injured that he died. He was the son of M. Purdy, South American representative of the R. G. Dunn & Co., mercantile agency, who is now at Buenos Ayres.



May the New Year be really happier than the old; and may our acquaintance with the g. im monster, whose 1907 record is so appalling, grow more distant.



Secretary of War Taft in the center, United States Minister to Japan Thomas J. O'Brien at his left, and General Edwards at his right. Striking photograph taken in Tokyo in Odessa palace grounds while Taft was touring the world.

An Oration Spoiled.

"You have a mortgage on your farm, have you not?" asked the politician.

"Yes," answered Farmer Cornsnot, "but—"

"And it has been there for years?"

"Ever since I kin remember, but—"

"Rebeld how you are down-trodden. See how the earnings of your honest toll are fleeced from you by the usurer's hand. A lifetime of honest, mainly struggle, and your reward is the shackles of debt—"

"Hold on, stranger. I hate to interrupt you, but you've got it figured out all wrong. I've had the money to pay off the mortgage three or four times over, but the way things was seilth, it was a better investment to put it into more land."

Attraction of Chess Problems.

The mere player who has never experienced the magnetic attraction of problems cannot fully realize the feeling of joy and satisfaction from solving some masterpiece, the work of a famous composer. There can be no doubt, that solving problems, especially

Teach Children Love of Nature.

A love of nature should be implanted in the mind of the youngest child. A beautiful sunset gives pleasure to the thickest but whose attention is directed to it. To love flowers, trees, books, and all the wonders of nature is one of the main things for a child to learn at an early age. Absence and analysis should have no part in his education at this time.

National Chinese Costumes.

Regulations regarding the national costume of both officials and ordinary people have been duly compiled and there are no different grades of costumes.—Shanghai Mercury.

The Tiltjak's Lie Exposed.

Tiltjaks are a species of lizard of the chameleon family, some of them three inches long. They crawl anywhere, having a preference for the inner side of a man's shirt. In India tiltjaks are desirable, as they devour mosquitoes and other insects.

Woman Favors War.

Society is in a process of growth, has not yet arrived at its maturity, or its equilibrium of forces, and, therefore, must have its public and private war until social adaptation be complete, and war thereby come to an end. It is well that the so-called "peace advocates" are in a magnificent minority, since with a whole nation of peace men you would have a people like the Chinese.—Mrs. Haldeman in Modern World, Denver.

Procrastination.

Procrastination has been called the thief of time. It is also the purloiner of opportunity, of wealth, and of all the comfort, ease, luxury, independence and varied gratification wealth affords.

Crushed to Death by Elevator.

Don Molina, 44, Dec. 21.—John M. Moorehead, of Ida Grove, was instantly killed at Dec. 31, 12, Monday, while in a pit repairing an elevator. The cage in descending, caught him and slowly crushed him to death.

WORST STORM OF WINTER

HEAVY SNOW AND HIGH WINDS IN THE CENTRAL WEST.

Wire Communication Is Practically Suspended and Street Car Traffic Almost Paralyzed.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—The worst snow storm of the season struck Chicago and vicinity early Sunday morning, and continued all day and night. The snow was wet and heavy and the wind blew a gale.

Telephone and telegraph wires were down in all directions and communication, especially with the west and northwest, was practically suspended. In the city the surface and elevated cars were operated with considerable difficulty and frequent interruptions. Railway trains were somewhat delayed by the slush on the tracks.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 12.—A fierce blizzard swooped down upon Milwaukee Sunday and continued without abatement for many hours. Telegraph and telephone wires are down in all directions in this immediate vicinity and street railway traffic is paralyzed. Steam railroads report trains only slightly delayed.

The weather bureau reported a fall of 16 inches of snow up to seven o'clock Sunday night. From reports received from the local forecast office the storm extended in the region from Madison, Wis., on the west, to Lake Michigan, along the length of which it raged north and south.

Every street car line operated by the Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company had trouble, most lines being unable to get cars through. In many instances cars were stalled in groups of six or eight. Lines that were able to operate experienced long delays and great irregularity. Interurban electric lines were abandoned early. Snow plows were put in operation, but the high wind blew the snow back on the tracks about as rapidly as it was thrown off.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 12.—Trolley, train and telegraph service was seriously interrupted Sunday by a blizzard that swept a large portion of Michigan. At Bay City 18 inches of snow was reported and all the churches abandoned the Sunday evening service. In the "Thumb" district many miles of railroad track are covered by enormous drifts that will likely hinder the operation of trains for several days.

VISSCHER SHOTS OFFICER.

Well Known Chicagoan In Serious Trouble at Omaha.

Omaha, Jan. 12.—Col. William L. Viischer, widely known as journalist and humorist, Saturday night shot and seriously injured Patrol Conductor Peter Dillon while Viischer was being taken to the police station in a patrol wagon, charged with disturbing the peace. According to the statements of the conductor and Driver Vandervoort, the shooting was entirely unprovoked. Viischer was later beaten into insensibility by the wounded policeman.

Col. Viischer was arrested first for being intoxicated. He was released, and, being anxious to return to Chicago, where he lives, attempted to board every train at the depot and was arrested again for his own protection. It was then that he shot the officer.

Mayor of Reformed Jews Dies.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—Isabell Hornhard Felsenthal, the oldest Jewish theologian in the United States, recognized as the world's greatest Hebrew scholar, died Sunday night after ten days of illness. Dr. Felsenthal was most widely known as the founder of the "reform" movement among Chicago Jews and as a leader of the "reformed Judaism" known abroad as the "Americanized synagogue." He was 86 years old on January 2, and had been a resident of Chicago since 1858, when he came here from Germany.

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BATTLESHIPS ARE AT RIO JANEIRO

EVANS AND HIS FLEET ARRIVE AT BRAZIL'S CAPITAL.

OFFICIALS WELCOME HIM

Scores of Vessels Meet the Americans in the Harbor—Ten Days of Festivity Planned.

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 12.—The American fleet of 16 battleships, entered the port of Rio Janeiro at three o'clock Sunday afternoon, after a passage from Port of Spain, Trinidad, more than 3,000 miles, unmarred by serious accident, replete with interesting incidents and ending with a royal welcome from the thousands that had gathered to greet the visitors.

The fleet weighed anchor at four o'clock on the afternoon of December 29 at Port of Spain, and exactly at four o'clock Sunday the vessels were swinging at their anchors in this beautiful harbor.

Supply Ships Left Behind.

All of the battleships are here, but the supply ships, Guigon and Diabler are still at sea, not having been able to keep along with the others. The fleet has now covered about 4,600 miles, about a third of the distance of the voyage to San Francisco. Word that the fleet had passed Cape Frio, about 46 miles off, was received at 8:30 o'clock and immediately scores of tugs and other small craft, crowded with spectators, set out to meet the visitors and accompanied them to the anchorage. Outlined against the horizon, the great battleships, stretched out in one long line, came slowly through the passage into the bay.

Welcomed by Officials.

As soon as the anchorage was made the Brazilian minister of marine, Admiral Alencar, the captain of the port, the American consul, C. E. Anderson, the commanders of naval divisions and the divic authorities went on board the Connecticut and extended a hearty welcome to Rear Admiral Evans, his officers and men.

The battleship fleet will remain at Rio for the next ten days, and officers and men will be elaborately entertained by both the government and the municipality, and by organizations of citizens.

Trouble in Torpedo Flotilla.

Dispatches received here Sunday from Pernambuco tell of disorders among the sailors of the torpedo flotilla, which arrived there on January 10. While on shore leave the sailors became engaged in a row among themselves and the police interfered. Some of the sailors received slight injuries and twenty of them were arrested on charges of drunkenness. Lieut. Gane had a conference with the peace authorities and will prevent further trouble between the police and the sailors who are allowed shore leave.

Edward Gary, a sailor on the torpedo boat Lawrence, while climbing a ladder on the side of the vessel, fell into the sea and was drowned.

ADMITS MATRICIDE, SAYS POLICE.

Woman Is Found Brutally Murdered and Son Is Arrested.

Toledo, O., Jan. 12.—Mrs. John F. Hazel, wife of the master mechanic on the Shore Line railway, was found dead by her husband when he returned from work Saturday night, and, according to the police, Harvey Hazel, the 19-year-old son of the couple, has confessed to the murder. It is said that the mother refused to give the youth money. The woman's head had been beaten to a pulp with a hammer and the house had been ransacked, but so far as has been ascertained nothing of value was taken.

Missing Evangelist Found.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 12.—"Billy" Williams, the old-time minstrel, but now an evangelist, who disappeared from Lincoln a week ago, and for whom an active search has been prosecuted, was found Saturday at the town of Ashland and brought to Lincoln. He is seriously ill.

HIS REASON FOR LOOKING GLUM.

Sour Expression Kept Swede from Doing Bothered.

Prince Wilhelm of Sweden told a New York reporter that Americans all worked hard and looked happy. "In my country," the prince went on, "we work hard, too, but we have not your happy look. Perhaps it is the climate. At any rate, we tell a story in Sweden that is typical; a story that will give you some idea of our national expression, though not, I'm sure, of our national character. A Frenchman visited a Swede in Stockholm, and one morning the two friends set out for a walk. Suddenly the Frenchman exclaimed impatiently: 'You look as sour as a pickle. Why don't you smile? Why don't you have a pleasant, good-natured air when you are out of doors?' 'What?' growled the Swede. 'And have everybody stopping me for a match or asking me how to get somewhere?'

Shoots at Wife; Kills Self.

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 12.—John Alexander Bay Alford, an Oakland clubman, aged 46, son of a New York banker, after firing two shots at his wife, turned his revolver upon himself and blew out his brains Sunday night. Temporary insanity is given as the reason for the deed.



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Secure from intrusion, as there were no bedrooms on that corridor, he tossed coat and cap into the window seat, walked to and fro for awhile listening to the rain, then sat down, his well-shaped head between his hands, and in silence he faced the enemy.

How long he had sat there he did not know. When he raised his face, all gray and drawn with the tension of conflict, his eyes were not very clear, nor did the figure standing there in the dim light from the hall mean anything for a moment.

"Mr. Steward?" in an uncertain voice, almost a whisper.

He stood up mechanically, and she saw his face.

"Are you ill? What is it?"

"No." He passed his hand over his eyes. "I fancy I was close to the edge of sleep." Some color came back into his face. He stood smiling now, the significance of her presence dawning on him.

"Did you really come?" he asked.

"This isn't a very lovely but impalpable astral vision, is it?"

"It's horribly imprudent; isn't it?" she murmured, still considering the rather drawn and pallid face of the man before her. "I came out of pure curiosity, Mr. Steward."

She glanced about her. He moved a big bunch of bathhouse roses so she could pass, and she settled down lightly on the edge of the window seat. When he had piled some big downy cushions behind her back she made a quick gesture of invitation.

"I have only a moment," she said as he seated himself beside her. "Part of my curiosity is satisfied in finding you here. I didn't suppose you so faithful."

"I can be fairly faithful. What else are you curious about?"

"You said you had something important."

"To tell you? So I did. That was bribery, perjury, false pretenses, robbery under arms, anything you will. I only wanted you to come."

"That is a shameful confession!" she said, but her smile was gay enough, and she noticeably shook out her fluffy skirts and settled herself a trifle more deeply among the pillows.

"Of course," she observed absently, "you are dreadfully mortified at your self."

"Naturally," he admitted.

The patter of the rain attracted her attention. She peered out through the blurred casements into the blackness. Then, picking up his cap and indicating his rain coat, "Why?" she asked.

"Oh, in case you hadn't come!"

"A walk? By yourself? A night like this on the cliffs? You are not perfectly mad, are you? What is the matter, Mr. Steward?"

"Well," he said, with a humorous glance at her, "I haven't seen you for ages. That's not wholesome for me, you know."

"But you see me now, and it does not seem to benefit you."

"I feel much better," he insisted, laughing, and her blue eyes grew very lovely as she smiled, broke from them in uncertain response.

"So you had nothing really important to tell me, Mr. Steward?"

"Only that I wanted you."

"Oh, I would!"

"Why have you so consistently avoided me, Mr. Steward?" she asked languidly.

"Well, upon my word," he said, with a touch of irritation.

"Oh, you are so dreadfully literal!" she shrugged, brushing her straight, sensitive nose with the pink blossom.

"I only said it to give you a chance, if you are going to be stupid, good night!" But she made no movement to go. "Yes, then; I have avoided you, and it doesn't become you to ask why."

"Because I loved you?"

"You hint at the true reason so cleverly, so delicately," she said, "that I scarcely recognize it." The cool mockery of her voice and the warm quick color flitting neck and face were incongruous. He thought, with slow surprise, that she was not yet later perfect in her role of the material triumphant over the spiritual.

"I am sorry I came," she said reflectively. "You don't know why I came, do you? Sheer loneliness, Mr. Steward. There is something of the child in me still, you see. It seems my fate to pass my life in bidding you good night," she said, straightening up and turning to him with the careless laughter touching mouth and eyes again. Then, resting her weight on one hand, her smooth white shoulder rounded beside her cheek, she looked at him out of humorous eyes.

"What is it that women find so attractive in you? The man's expertness in cynicism? The man's unconscious cynicism? The man's unconscious cynicism?"

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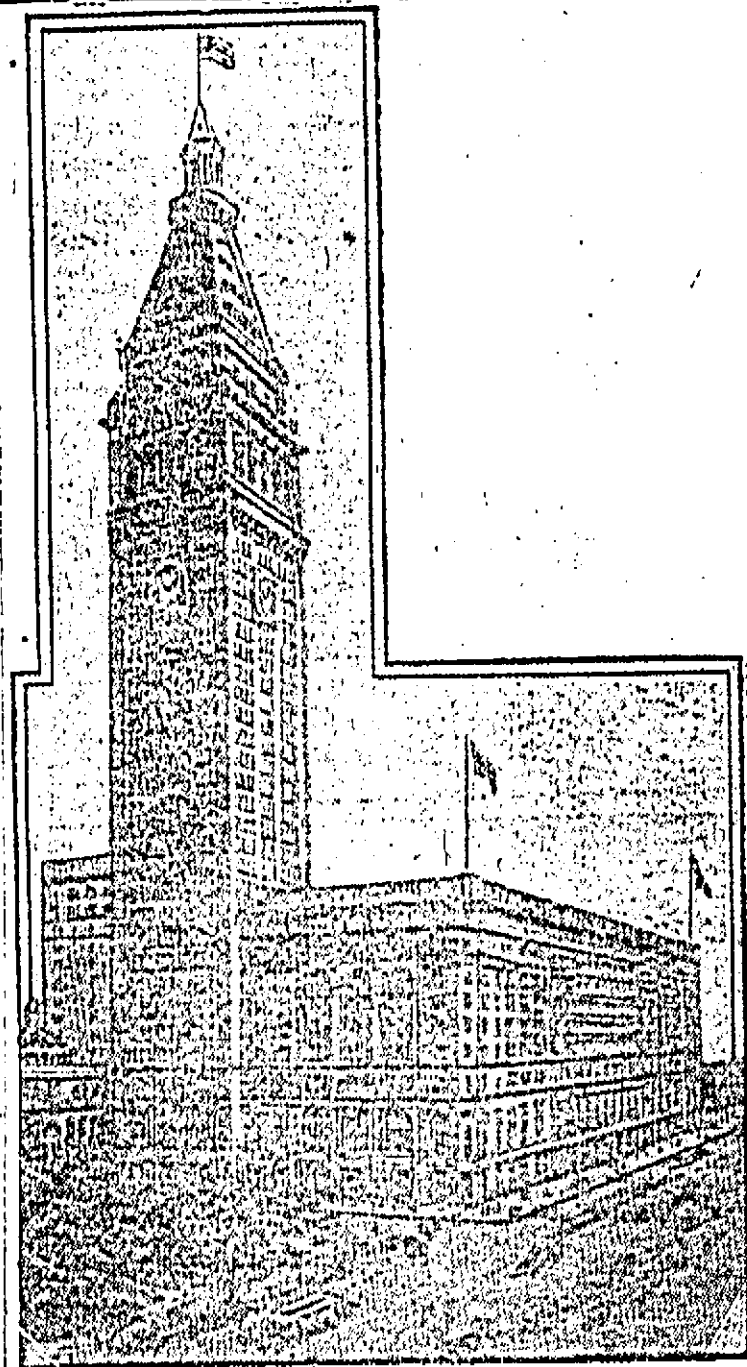
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know what you have. I asked. And it is enough for a man who remains unmarried. For I cannot make things do; I cannot contrive; I will not cling to the fringe of things or play that heartrending role of the shabby expatriated on the continent. My role in life is to mount to a security too high for any question as to my dominance. Can you take me there?"

"There are other heights, Sylvia."

"Yes, dear."

"The spiritual; I know. I could not breathe there, if I cared to climb. And I have told you what I am—all sick and lame and smooth-skinned selfishness."

"If you can change me, take me. And she rose, facing him.

"I do not give you up," he said, with a savage note hardening his voice, and it thrilled her to hear it, and every drop of blood in her body leaped as she yielded to his arms again, heavy-lidded, trembling, confused, under the pleading sweetness of contact. Then her voice, broken, breathless:

"Good night. Love me while you can and forgive me. Good night. Where are we? All—all this must have stunned me, blinded me. Is this my door or yours? Hush! I am half dead with fear—to be here under the light again. If you take me again, my knees will give way. And I must find my door. Oh, the ghastly impudence of it! Good night, good night. I—I love you!"

(To be Continued.)



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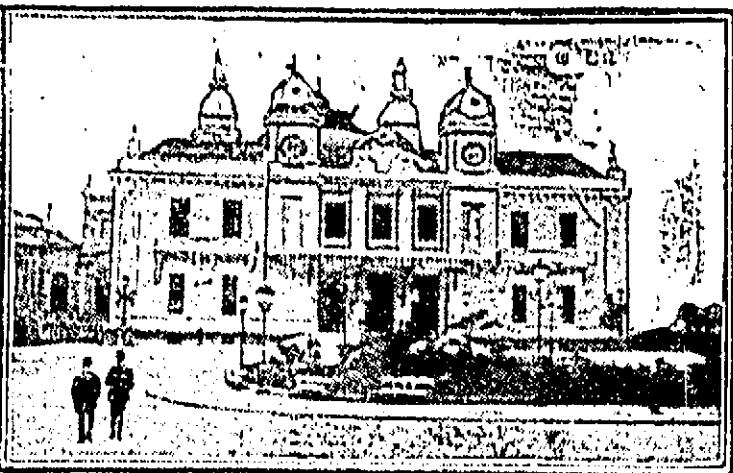
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PRINCESS CHARLOTTE VON SAXE-MEININGEN

Berlin, Jan. 13.—The famous Harden-Von Moltke libel case struck at the very foundations of the German throne. It was thought for some time that the emperor himself would be called in to testify. The latest development was the introducing into the case of no less a person than the Princess Charlotte von Saxe-Meiningen, the eldest sister of Emperor William. The testimony given shows that Harden had two meetings with her. Prince Bernhard, late husband of the princess, was long opposed to the influence of Prince Philipp zu Saxe-Coburg at court. It is apparent that the princess did not forget this feud, and that she has been instrumental in ruining Prince zu Saxe-Coburg's reputation and his consequent loss of favor with the emperor. The princess and Emperor William have been on cool terms for several years.

Turn it in Janesville.



THE CASINO AT MONTE CARLO.

Monte Carlo, Jan. 13.—Predictions are made that Monte Carlo is to have an extremely bad season, chiefly because compared with other seasons few Americans are expected. The stock of the Casino has been fluctuating strangely this year, although last year's dividend of \$70 a share was the largest ever paid. The dividend was only \$44 in 1906. The shares are of a nominal value of \$100. They were quoted at \$1400 last year. Later they fell to \$800 and have now risen again to \$1000. The fluctuation is attributed directly to the diminishing amount of American money lost at the gaming tables.

Letter Writing in Ancient Babylon.

It can easily be understood that the reading and writing of cuneiform was not an accomplishment in the possession of every one. Nevertheless, there were plenty of scribes everywhere, especially in the cities, where they sat at the temple gates to be at the service of the public. The frequent representations of scribes are hence interesting and show that in addition to clay tablets the Babylonians used some sort of flexible material to write upon. The large number of letters which have been excavated, many of them from the ninth century before Christ, indicate that a very active correspondence was carried on in Babylon by means of messengers, but even more active was the use of writing in commercial dealings, which was strictly enforced by law. Nothing was legally binding unless it was done into writing in the presence of witnesses.—Professor Friedrich Delitzsch in Harper's Magazine.

Champagne From Sponges.

"The champagne makers of Reims buy a lot of our sponges," said a wholesale dealer. "They squeeze champagne out of them. They must squeeze in the year's course 1,000,000 bottles of champagne out of sponges. Mystified, aren't you? But there is no mystery about the matter. Champagne, as its name is, is powerful stuff. It breaks the strongest bottles, and in the past all champagne that broke its bottles and escaped was lost. Now, though, they pack the champagne bottles in clean sponges, and every day or two they go over the plant, and if any of the bottles have broken they squeeze into each the wine that the sponges have retained. This wine, reclassified, refined and bottled again, makes a very good second quality drink."—Cincinnati Enquirer.



At the left Mrs. H. C. Hansbrough, wife of Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota. In the center Mrs. W. D. Lamar, the beautiful wife of Congressman Lamar of Florida. At the right Madame Jussierand, wife of the French ambassador to the United States.

More Machinery to Do the Work.

We have 2,921 courts which have the power to grant divorces, as against England's one, Germany's 28 and France's 79.—Anna A. Rogers in the Atlantic Monthly.

Only Changing the Tune.

"The man escaped us," said the detective. "He had invented a new dodge. That, you see, is the trouble about the science of detection. The minute we detectives master all the old tricks something new springs up."

"It is rather like the story of the thirty butler. When you keep a can of beer under lock and key in the cellar, only giving the butler the key when you want him to draw you a pitcher, then, if you make him whistle all the time he is out of sight on this errand, you are bound not to be defrauded, eh? Or so at least it was in the past."

"Well, there was a man who engaged a new butler, and, as of yore, the first day he wanted beer he said:

"James, here are the keys to the beer closet. Take this pitcher down and fill it. And mind you whistle all the while you do it."

"Yes, sir," said James, and he departed whistling.

"The clear, sweet notes of 'Home, Sweet Home,' floated upstairs for a minute or so, then they ceased. The master rushed to the cellar door.

"James," he shouted angrily, "what are you doing?"

"Nothing, sir; only changin' the tune,"—Washington Star.



Snapshot of Senator Joseph Benson Foraker of Ohio entering his carriage in front of his Washington home.

THE SUIT SALE

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The Twice a Year Bargain Event in Women's Suits

\$10.50 FOR CHOICE OF Sixty-Five Suits

This sale is looked forward to by many women as the one event which secures nobby stylish suits at only a fraction of regular prices. This season it offers (with the exception of about twenty suits) the choice of the entire line at one price. It includes the best of styles for winter wear, not a suit but what is new and of recent manufacture, all in dark colorings and many of the coats to these suits are interlined. There are many weeks yet to wear such suits and at the price named. There is certain to be a quick response. Come in and ask to be shown some of these garments. The values are extraordinary.

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